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Remarks

Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment (37 CFR1.121)

A "Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment (37 CFR1.121)" dated July 15, 2005 (a copy of which is attached hereto) indicates that the Response filed on April 4, 2005 was non-compliant since the status of claim 22 was indicated as "original", but should be indicated as "withdrawn".

In response, Applicant submits herewith a replacement section of the listing of claims, wherein the status of claim 22 is now shown as "withdrawn".

Summary

The Applicant believes that this response constitutes a full and complete response to the "Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment (37 CFR1.121)", and therefore requests timely allowance of claims 1, 3, 5-8, 13-20, 21, 23-25.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the below-signed representative if the Examiner believes this will facilitate prosecution toward allowance of the claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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